individuals, or class."

DEMPSY KNOCKS OUT MISKI.

Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, demonstrated Monday (Labor Day) that he still retains the terrible punch that won him the title. He knocked out Billie Miske, of St. Paul, a fighter big and game as himself, in the third round af their 10-round match. Three hard smashes were sufficient to win him between $50,000 and $100,000, his fifty per cent share of the gate receipts.

At the start of the fight, his first in 14 months, Dempsey peeled off the same worn and patched red sweater that he wore when he knocked out Jess Willard. His face wore the same fighting frown, he danced about the ring with old time light footedness and finished up by taking the fight in the third round, just as he did at Toledo. The third round went one minute and thirteen seconds.

Miske went down three times in the iess than two and one half rounds of fighting. In the second he measured his length o nthe floor for the count of five. In the fatal third, driven to his corner under rain of lefts and rights to the stomach and chin, the challenger took the count of nine, and had just regained his feet, when Dempsey, carefully measuring his distance, ended the bout with a right hand punch to the chin.

WHY THE FARMER COMPLAINS.

With hogs bringing only $10 a hundredweight at the Chicago Stock yards, where in July last year the quotation was $23.60, and with wheat and flour at less than one-half the prices commanded before the decline began, the American farmer has a grievance which he naturally voices.

These sharp reductions in basic-food values ought to be reflected in the commodity markets everywhere but they are not. Most of the things the farmers buys are presented to him at war-time figures. The price of his products is cut in half, but if he were to purchase ham, bacon, lard or bread made possible by his toil, or clothing and household goods fabricated by working people whom he feeds, he would find that readjustment if visible at all is proceeding by very easy stages.

The farmer is justified in his complaints and should be heard. At the other end of the scale is the consumer, more submissive but equally a victim. The middleman will not yield wisely if he yields too

The Greenbrier Independent.

Locals—Hereafter twenty cents per line will be charged for Local notices for each insertion. Eight words may be estimated to a line. ☞ This charge will be strictly adhered to. ☜

And Special notices, in small type immediately preceding marriages and deaths, will be inserted at the rate of 15 cents per line.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS—Political notices, article advocating candidates for office and announcements of candidates, will be charged for each insertion.

THURSDAY, APRIL 3RD, 1884.

LOCAL MATTERS.

No deaths from scarlet fever have occurred in this community during the past week.

AND NOW the voice of the gay and festive

Advertised Let

Letters for the following uncalled for at the postoff the 1st inst. If not calle they will be sent to th viz: Jim Cooper, R Johnston. (col'd.) S. C. Wolf, Mrs. E. Harris, and Misses trude Brown, An White.

Please say "a the above letters.

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...ning, rain, hail and high winds,
...d, and at this writing, Thursday
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... and Martha L. Clutter,
... and Dianna M. Cutlip.
...d Hettie C. Easley.

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...whose duty for the ensuing year will be to call the necessary meetings of the corporation for nominating officers, &c.

The meeting then adjourned.

Hillsboro Items.

HILLSBORO, Mar. 31st, 1884.

Editor Greenbrier Independent:

We are having beautiful weather just now, and business is brightening up with the approach of spring.

There is still considerable sickness throughout our neighborhood. Two of Mr. J. R. Marshall's children are afflicted with something very much like scarlet fever.

To-day a little child of Mr. Peter Overholt's fell backward into a tub of almost boiling water, and was burned so badly that its life is despaired of. All the skin has come off of the back and partly off of the limbs of the little sufferer—presenting a distressing spectacle. [We have since learned that the little child died on the night following the day of the accident.—*Ed.*]

On the 28th inst., a little girl of Mr. Geo. Keys, living near Buckeye Cove, was attacked by croup, and died from the effects of it in three hours.

Mr. A. M. Pullin, postmaster at Mount Murphy, has resigned, and all mail for that office will be sent to this place, (Academy.) From what we have learned it is probable that the vacancy left by Mr. Pullin will be filled soon.

Rev. T. H. Lacy, D. D., of the Episcopal Church, filled the Presbyterian pulpit at this place on the 27th inst. His discourse was a very interesting one, and highly appreciated by all present.

Mr. R. M. Powers, of Richmond, Va., and Mr. J. Thompson, of Westminster, Md., are in town to-day buying horses.

Messrs. A. R. Kennison and James Burnside while out chopping recently found five raccoons in a hollow tree. They succeeded in dispatching all of them, and resumed their work, singing "Raccoon up a gum tree."

JENKINS.

Personal Mention.

Capt. J. W. Mathews spent last Monday and Tuesday in Alderson. A new Bank is being established at that point, and the object of Capt. Mathews' visit was to help put the machinery of the new institution in running order.

Mr. A. D. Butt, of the *Mountain Herald* office, spent the past few days with relatives near Lewisburg. He is taking a month's va-

... to Mason C. Jameson, for lot No. 9, in N... Alderson, containing 40 poles of land.

A deed from Luke A. Gregory and wif... Jas. W. Jackson, for 5 acres of land and buildings thereon—part of the Matt... Gregory land.

A conveyance in trust from Jacob Huff... to Mary Jane Feamster and Susan B. ... embracing the personal and real estate ... vendor, to be held for certain uses and ... poses.

A deed from John W. Thomas and ... rine Thomas, his wife, to George W. ... for two tracts of land in Falling Sprin... trict—the first containing 7 acres an... poles, known as the Spencer land, a... other, containing 10 acres, lies on th... side of Greenbrier river.

A deed from George W. Williams a... to Washington Wallace, for 43 acres ... and also 40 poles of land, on Spring c...

☞ The cyclone on Tuesday of la... in the vicinity of London, Ky., was t... violent ever known in that section. ... burg, Ky., John Hailman, Mrs. Br... and two little children were killed. ... C. W. Stringer, Mrs. Stringer, Rob't ... Miss Sallie Goff and James Warren ... tally injured. Over 100 families ... homeless. The storm in Anderson ... S. C., fatally injured three children ... Watson, near Piedmont. There w... lent thunder and rain-storm at Pe... Va., shortly after midnight on W... morning of last week. The Ap... was swolen by the rain, and the me... the Chesterfield side were subme... destructive cyclone visited Newton ... noir, N. C., the same night. At N... houses were blown down. Mary H... was killed, and 14 other persons inj... Lenoir six persons are reported to ... killed. In Mecklenburg five or six r... were destroyed. There was also ... at Gainesville, Ga., accompanied ... Many houses were leveled, and th... are reported to have been lost.

☞ Prince Leopold, Duke of Al... fourth and youngest son of Queen ... died last Friday, aged 31 years.

Special Notices.

LOST.—A purse containing some... $31—was lost between Mr. Samu... willer's and Lewisburg. The fi... please leave it with Maj. Jas. H. S... the Lewisburg Hotel, and be lib... ...

Jas. L. Nelson left last Tuesday on professional business in Rockbridge county, Va. [illegible] all speaks well for the Doctor's science [illegible]ill as a dentist.

Mr. E. J. Weaver, of Ronceverte, is a student at the Concord Normal School.

Col. Jas. W. Davis and Judge J. M. McWhorter are attending upon the Federal Court which is now sitting in Charleston.

Miss Belle Bledsoe, of Staunton, Va., is the guest of Mr. J. E. Bell.

Mr. O. P. Sydenstricker left yesterday evening for the Eastern and Northern cities, for the purpose of selecting his Christmas stock of goods.

Mrs. Mary S. Smith, of Lewisburg, is spending a few weeks with her son, G. Alex. Smith, Esq., in Alderson, Monroe county.

Mr. W. H. McGlaughlin, of Knapp's creek, Pocahontas county, gave us a call last Tuesday.

Mr. John Bell and wife and Mrs. Harris and son, of Rockbridge county, Va., are visiting friends in Lewisburg and vicinity.

John A. Preston, Esq., left yesterday to attend Nicholas Circuit Court, which is now in session.

Dr. J. Ed. Arbuckle, of Virginia, is spending a few weeks at his old home near Lewisburg with a special view to the recruiting of his health.

Mrs. John W. Truslow, of Tennessee, is spending the present week in our village with Mr. D. Henderson Bell. Many of our readers will remember the literary productions of this lady which appeared in the Lewisburg papers in *ante bellum* days.

Last Saturday night Mr. John Withrow, of this place, was threatened with an attack of paralysis. Medical aid was promptly rendered, and he is now enabled to walk about his residence.

Mrs. Amanda McNeil and children, who have been spending a couple of months in Lewisburg, returned to their home in Hardy county last Tuesday.

Dr. A. S. Patrick, Maj. Jas. H. Stratton and Mr. H. Clay Cabell are spending the present week in Charleston.

Rev. Thos. E. Carson, Presiding Elder of the Baltimore District, M. E. Church, South, was in Lewisburg yesterday. Mr. Carson is looking up some wild lands that belonged to his deceased brother.

David S. Bell, Esq., of Augusta county, Va., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Jane Arbuckle, near Lewisburg.

Miss Maud Hannon, of Swan Creek, Ohio, arrived in Lewisburg last week as the guest of John W. Arbuckle, Esq.

Mr. Lauty Lockridge, of Hillsboro, is in Lewisburg to-day.

A STRAIGHT OUT.

Richlands, W. Va., Nov. 11th, 1884.

Pocahontas County Items.

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We are having beautiful weather now, and our farmers are busily engaged in husking corn and getting in winter supplies of wood.

We have two interesting schools at this place—one managed by Miss Kate Cabell, of Alderson, and the other by Miss Maud Patrick, of Lewisburg.

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Nov. 6th, 1884.

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The Greenbrier Independent.

THURSDAY, FEB. 12TH, 1885.

LOCAL MATTERS.

THERE is an unusual amount of sickness prevailing, at present, in this section.

WE are indebted to Hon. C. P. Snyder for a copy of the last edition of the Congressional Directory.

REV. D. E. FRIERSON will preach in the Lewisburg Presbyterian Church next Sunday

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Hillsboro Items.

There is a great deal of sickness in this neighborhood. Master Frank Hill, son of Mr. R. W. Hill, and Mr. S. J. Payne have been quite ill for several days.

Hon. J. W. Holt left on Monday last for his home in Hamlin, W. Va,

Mr. Enos Clutter, who has been visiting relatives in this county, left for Missouri on last Tuesday.

Mr. S. J. Sharp will start back to the West soon.

Dr. C. W. Eskridge is absent on a business trip to Staunton, Va.

Mrs. Preston Clark is visiting her father, Mr. John Livesay, near Frankford, Greenbrier county.

It is rumored that Mrs. Mary Sharp, of Beaver Creek, has sold her farm to Capt. J. W. Marshall, of Randolph county, for the sum of $2,200.

Mr. Frank Harper will give a party Friday night, the 13th. Mr. H. and his accomplished wife are favorites with the young people, and they anticipate a good time.

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The Greenbrier Independent.

THURSDAY, NOV. 26TH, 1885.

LOCAL MATTERS.

WILD western winds wafted wintry waves Wednesday.

MR. R. BURKE proposes to commence the publication of a Republican paper in Hinton to be called the *Hinton American*.

THANKSGIVING services were held in Lewisburg to-day in St. James Episcopal church. The Public Schools and the Bank of Lewisburg were closed.

THE pair of steers shipped east by Mr. S. K. McClung, of this county, mentioned in the INDEPENDENT last week, weighed 4,330 lbs. instead of 4,230, as published.

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In Greenbrier and Pocahontas I also noted many improvements, that should enhance the value of property, and, if continued, would invite capitalists to settle among us, who would help develope the riches that everywhere abound.

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...rightful Accident in Fayette County.

...respondent of the Fayette *Enterprise*, ...under date of the 24th ult., gives an ...of a frightful accident which occurred ...ounty last week. The writer says: ...last Sunday morning a serious acci... ...urred at the Laurel creek bridge, near ...church, in Mountain Cove district, ...Miss Ellen Farr (daughter of W. J. ...q.,) and her brother Leonard nar... ...aped a horrible death. It appears ...a week previous to the accident ...nown party removed a section of ..., leaving a gap of about twelve ...bridge remained in this condition ...ys, when some person, to accom... ...otmen, placed three half-round ...mber across the gap in the bridge. ...y morning Miss Farr and her ...their way to church, found the ...e condition as above described.— ...mounted and led his horse safely ...dge. He then attempted to lead ...orse across, while she remained ..., but when the horse came to ...the bridge it became frightened ...d to turn around and fell thro' ...er fifteen feet below, carrying ...with it. The boy, becoming ...d into the creek after them.— ...ack was broken and it died in a ...The water was three or four feet ...stance being near at hand Miss ...brother were rescued without ...injury except a thorough wet... ...ere fright."

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Game seems to be pretty plentiful in the mountains near here. Several deer have been killed lately, and if the pheasants, rabbits, and partridges continue to come in at the present rate, they will soon be as scarce as Mahoneism in Virginia.

Mr. Preston S. Clark, of this place, while bringing in a flock of sheep from his mountain range last week, let them eat some laurel, from the effects of which eight of them have died.

A son of Mr. F. M. Pritts, aged about 12 years, met with a painful, and rather singular accident a few days ago. He was helping to separate some sheep, when two of them became frightened, and ran against him with such force as to break his right leg just below the knee. Dr. C. P. Bryan set the broken limb, and reports him doing well.

Rev. L. H. Graybill, assisted by Rev. David Bush, is holding a protracted meeting at this place, with promises of a great revival. At the present writing there has been but one confession. There are seven penitents at the altar.

JENKINS.

Hillsboro, W. Va., Dec. 1st, 18...

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BARGAINS in Woolen Dress Goods, at F. C. BROWN & CO.'S.

Handsome Flannel Suits, at BROWN & CO.'S.

Beautiful shades of Tricots, at F. C. BROWN & CO.'S.

Don't fail to call and examine Brown Stock of Goods before buying. New additions made daily.

Black Cashmeres, very low, at BROWN'S.

Blankets and Comforts, as low as the lowest, at BROWN'S.

The largest line of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hosiery in town, at BROWN & CO.'S.

sold his magnificent pair of bay horses to ..., J. F. Gibson, of Richmond, Va., for ... These animals took the 1st premium ... the best pair of horses in harness at the ...reenbrier Valley Fair at Alderson, last Oc...ber, and were doubtless the best for draught ...rposes in the county.—*Monroe County ...atchman.*

REV. COLLINS DENNY is preparing a ser...on expressly for the children of Lewisburg, ...d will deliver it in the M. E. Church, ...th, next Sunday evening at 3 o'clock. A ...uest has been made by him to the chil...n of his own congregation to bring an of...ng of money as "a Christmas gift for the ...hen." Of course any child that desires ...add its mite to the fund. Adults are ...at liberty to attend upon the sermon.

D. R. Thomas' Christmas Trix!

...hose buyers for Christmas who have not ...in their holiday effects should by all ...s call at D. R. Thomas' new Store and ...at his great variety of novelties. Any...like a description of his stock would be ...hness. We can only say that any taste ...be gratified there. He, however, pan...s the taste of the juveniles in particu... Toys from 1 ct. to $25. Mr. T. takes ...re in pricing goods, and the buyer does ...el like a bore.

BITTEN BY A MAD DOG.—A letter from ...s. M. Nickell, Jr., a native of this ..., but now a resident of Hannibal, Mis...states that one evening last week he ...enty-four other persons were bitten by ...dog on the streets of Hannibal. Mr. ... was slightly bitten in the calf of the ...he wound was at once burned with ...and the madstone applied, but no virus ...ed. Physicians say that the virus was ...y absorbed into the cloth of his trow...Mr. Nickell writes very cheerfully.—...fidence in the remedies applied leads ...pprehend but little danger from the ...—*Monroe County Watchman.*

Personal Mention.

...Charles S. Anderson, of East Ten... is visiting among his relatives and ...s Lewisburg and vicinity.

...Richard O. Baillie, of Paint Creek, ...s county, spent last Sabbath with his ...near Lewisburg.

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...the Supreme Court adjourned last ... Judge A. C. Snyder has arrived at ...in Lewisburg.

...sicians, was united in marriage on Tuesday, the 15th inst., to Miss Sallie Grant, at the residence of the bride in Fincastle, Va. The happy couple have arrived, and will immediately settle down to "keeping house" in elegantly furnished rooms in the W. W. Moore Hotel building.

Mrs. J. Weed has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Sprague, of Rhode Island.

Letter from Millsboro.

All day Sunday last the rain poured down in torrents, and the streams in this vicinity are considerably swolen, but no damage is apprehended from them.

The meeting which commenced in the Presbyterian church on the 11th inst. closed on Sunday evening last. Rev. David Sydenstricker, Pastor of the church, was assisted by Rev. William Miller, of Frankford. Considering the inclement weather, the meeting was well attended, and although there was but one accession to the church, impressions were made that cannot help but be productive of good results.

Rev. C. A. Brown and his brother, F. J. Brown, are teaching a very interesting school at this place. They are now making an effort to establish a graded school here, and it is to be hoped that their efforts will be crowned with success. In this advanced age the importance of a good education is apparent to all, and anyone without is doomed to mediocrity.

There is considerable sickness in this section. Mr. J. W. McNeil, who has been quite ill for some time, is still in a critical condition.

Mr. John Walton, living about ten miles from here, near Spring creek, met with a shocking accident on the 11th instant. He was getting wood, and after putting a large load on a sled he had for the purpose, he started home with it—he riding on the wood. While going around a rough, steep place in the road the sled turned over and a large heavy stick fell on his left leg half way between the ankle and knee, crushing it into a shapeless mass. Dr. J. A. Larew is attending him, and thinks that amputation of the limb will be necessary to save his life. Mr. Walton is near 70 years of age, and it is doubtful if he will recover from the shock.

On the 8th instant Moses Henderson, a colored man in the employ of Mr. F. A. Renick, met with a fatal accident. He was taking a load of hay to the barn, and was standing up on it driving, when a fore wheel of the wagon dropped into a ditch near the barn. The sudden lurching of the wagon caused him to lose his balance, and he fell, his head and shoulders striking the ground first. His neck was broken and he died almost instantly, without speaking.

Mr. H. A. Overholt and Mr. Albert Sharp will leave Thursday morning for Galveston, Texas, where they expect to remain through the winter.

The trade in furs promises to be very good this season, and trapping has commenced.—Mr. G. W. Clark has discovered that the opossum ranks next to the fox in point of cunning. While out looking after his "deadfalls" recently he saw a large opossum back up to one of them, curl his tail around the bait of fresh meat, and with a quick jerk land it with part of the trap-triggers safely on the outside.

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Special Notices.

BUY USEFUL Xmas Gifts at J. E. Bell's.

You will realize good prices for dressed Poultry if shipped from now until the Holidays, if shipped to John T. Powers, Richmond, Va.

"HELLO, Charley! another boy at your house?" "Oh, no; just getting a larger Engine to run our Mill." "Where did you buy it?" "Why, from Gus White, of course, where everybody buys."

SPECIAL NOTICE.—A few nice Spring Wagons for cost and freight to close out and make room for spring goods.
WHITE & PRICE.

WANTED—To trade for 50,000 bushels good picked Corn, delivered at Ronceverte, W. Va.
WHITE & PRICE.

WANTED—still worse—those that owe us to come forward and settle. We must get our accounts for 1885 closed up.
WHITE & PRICE.

WANTED—To sell the old reliable "Eclipse" Engine and Saw Mills, made by the Frick Co. The best in the world. WHITE & PRICE.

"SPECIAL inducements" and rock-bottom prices on Engines and Saw Mills. Send for circulars. WHITE & PRICE.

"MR. LIPPS, what makes you sit up all night? How can you stand it?" "Well, I bought an Engine and Planer from that Gus White, and it is about to work me to death, but bring on your work, Eli."

FOR SALE.—A car load of "Worthington" sack Salt and a car load of table and dairy barrel Salt. Send your orders to
WHITE & PRICE.

SEVERAL second-hand Engines for sale, right, by WHITE & PRICE.

WANTED—To make a big pile of money quick. This way, farmers.
WHITE & PRICE.

BIG drive in Wagons to close out stock for the New Year. Come a-running to
WHITE & PRICE'S.

BOOKS, BOOKS FOR FREE SCHOOLS.—Any book used in the Free Schools at *retail contract prices*. One-sixth added for postage.—Come or send your orders to J. G. COX.
Sept. 10-tf.

F. C. BROWN & CO.,

(Successors to BROWN & ESTILL.)

BARGAINS in Woolen Dress Goods, at
F. C. BROWN & CO.'S.

Handsome Flannel Suits, at
BROWN & CO.'S.

Beautiful shades of Tricots, at
F. C. BROWN & CO.'S.

Don't fail to call and examine Brown's Stock of Goods before buying. New additions made daily.

Black Cashmeres, very low, at
BROWN'S.

Blankets and Comforts, as low as the lowest, at BROWN'S.

The largest line of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hosiery in town, at
BROWN & CO.'S.

Wool Dress Goods at 10c, at BROWN'S.

The cheapest Jeans in town can be found at
BROWN & CO.'S.

Ladies' Wraps a specialty, at
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Nov. 10th, 1885. Lewisburg, W. Va.

May 14-tf.

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SILK HANDKERCHIEF...
SILK MUFFLER...
PULSE ...

and a beautiful line of

NECK ...

Gold CUFF BUTTONS,
RINGS, WATCHE...
Silk GUARD...

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Real Estate in ...

PURSUANT to a decr... Court of Greenbrier ... the November term, 188... cause of Thos. H. Pare vs. ... al., the undersigned, who... pointed a Special Commis... pose, will offer for sale a... front of the Hotel of James... town of Lewisburg, on

Saturday, the 26th day of ...

that certain House and Lot ... of Lewisburg, near the ... known as the John S. John...

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Cash in hand sufficient t... and expenses of sale, and ... credit of 6, 12 and 18 mon... the purchasers executing bo... curity for the deferred ins... chase money, and the title ... ultimate security.

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The Greenbrier Independent.

THURSDAY, DEC. 17TH, 1885.

LOCAL MATTERS.

MR. SYLVESTER UPTON, an old citizen of Summers county, died last week of general debility.

MRS. ISABEL MCCLURE, of Irish Corner District, this county, recently killed six hogs, 17 months old, that weighed 1,886 lbs.

THE ladies of Frankford will give a supper, on December 28th, for the benefit of the Presbyterian Church. All are invited.

THUS far thirteen persons have presented themselves at the altar in the meeting that is being held in the Lewisburg M. E. Church, South, by Rev. Collins Denny, the Pastor.

LET it be borne in mind that a cordial in-

THE Boston *Herald* says: son for swapping presents is d The old-time custom of giving could give naught but thanks a return has much to commend i

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